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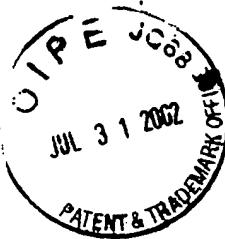
PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action of March 25, 2002. The requisite fee of \$110.00 is attached.

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